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COLONIST BUILDING—Government Street, 1st Door North of the New Post Office Building.

TERMS—INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST—Per Year, (subject to Postage)..............................$10.
Parts of a Year at the same Rate.
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Liberal Discounts to Clubs.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

Mrs. Abrahams' PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE,

FORT STREET, one door above Douglas.

Board & Lodging	$7 00 per week.
Board	$5 00 do

Accommodations for Families or Single Persons. No Bar attached to the house. jy21

Colonial Hotel and Driard House.

GOVERNMENT AND VIEW STREETS, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

mh7 LUCAS & RIDON Proprietors.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,

STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD

Victoria, B. C.

Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1 Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

Fire-proof Safe in the House.

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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL

—AND—

RESTAURANT,

Government St., Victoria.

TABLE AND ROOMS FIRST-CLASS

Rate of Charges, Meals 50 Cents.

ap7 JOHN J. JACOBS, Proprietor.

ANGEL HOTEL,

LANGLEY STREET,

LATE BAILEY'S LATE EBERHARDT'S

CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Insurance.

Phœnix Fire Assurance COMPANY.

LOMBARD STREET AND CHARING CROSS, LONDON.

Established, 1782.

For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY with which its engagements are always met by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the Public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid more than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Losses by Fire.

The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom. Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.

Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.

Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,

au1 Government street opp. Masonic Hall

DIAMOND SPECTACLES

TRADE MARK

THESE SPECTACLES ARE MANUFACTURED from "Minute Crystal Pebbles" melted together and are called Diamond on account of their hardness and brilliancy.

It is well known that spectacles cut from Brazilian or Scotch pebbles are very injurious to the eye because of their polarizing light.

Having been tested with the polariscope, the diamond lenses have been found to admit 15 per cent. less heated rays than any other pebble.

They are ground with great scientific accuracy, are free from chromatic aberrations, and produce a brightness and distinctness of vision not before attained in spectacles.

Manufactured by the Spencer Optical Manufacturing Company.

sale by responsible agents throughout the Union.

J. L. Jungerman

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN, IS SOLE AGENT FOR VICTORIA, V. I.,

From whom they can only be obtained. No Pedlars employed.

The great demand for these spectacles has induced unscrupulous dealers to palm off an inferior and spurious article for the Diamond. Great care should be taken to see that the trade mark <> (which is protected by American Letters Patent), is stamped on every pair. se5

Insurance.

THE SCOTTISH AMICABLE MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(ESTABLISHED AT GLASGOW, A.D. 1826,

Is believed to be the most desirable, economical and equitable system of Life Assurance extant.

ASSETS, $8,000,000.

THE SOLE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY-HOLDERS.

DEPOSITED WITH DOMINION GOV'T. - - $150,000.

Under the Minimum Premium System of this Society a person can obtain from one-quarter to one-half more Assurance than he can in other offices under the Ordinary System, for the same Premium, at the same time having the solid security and liberal advantages afforded by this

OLD AND WEALTHY INSTITUTION.

T. ALLSOP & CO., AGENTS, VICTORIA.

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The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

GOVERNOR:
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

DEPUTY GOVERNORS:
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES.
3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, 3 Pall Mall, East, } London.
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

AGENTS IN VICTORIA.
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.

je15 Wharf Street.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE Insurance Company.

Established, 1809.

CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.
Accumulated Funds, ...£3,286,126.

LOSSES SETTLED WITH

Promptitude and Liberality.

T. ALLSOP & Co., Agents,

oc6 Government street.

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION! OF CANADA.

Head Office, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

CAPITAL......$500,000.

Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.

Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of Policyholders, $50,000.

PRESIDENT—**Sir Francis Hincks, K. C. M. G.** Finance Minister of Canada.

VICE PRESIDENTS—**Hon. Wm P. Howland, C. B.**, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario; **Hon. Wm. McMaster**, President Canadian Bank of Commerce;

Issued—Over 500 Policies first half-year.

This Association issues all the most approved forms of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than that of any other company.

A strong company which combines strength of capital, character and local influence and provides life insurance at the lowest safe rates without delusive promises of dividends, making a good dividend CERTAIN by decreasing the premium.

By its organization it enables each policyholder to deal with his own neighbors, stockholders in the company—men whom he knows will do justice to his family after he is dead, and also provides that its funds will be invested to develop the resources of his own country and locality.

A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.

WILLIAM McCABE, General Manager, Toronto.

The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to

JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria, General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory, oc22

Standard Life Assurance Company,

Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh,

LONDON, } 82 King William street, and 3 Pall Mall East (West End Office.)

THE REPORT of the Forty-eighth General Annual Meeting of the Company held in Edinburgh, 29th April last, can be had on application at the Company's Agency.

THE COMPANY has Divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.

THE SURPLUS FUND divided amongst the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331,591 13s.

ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.

INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4 500,000.

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,

jy23 AGENTS, VICTORIA.

Imperial Fire Insurance COMPANY.

1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall, LONDON,

Instituted, 1803.

FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.

Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.

WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
may16 And Washington Territory.

THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y Of San Francisco.

MARINE.

Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.

For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to

LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & Co.

jy15 3m Agents.

NOTICE. Team for Hire.

GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night. se1

Miscellaneous.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS FAMILY BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch

Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW.

mh10 LONDON MARKET

A. Casamayou & Co.,

YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLEsale Dealers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS

mh18 And French Preserves.

MME. De MEUDON DANCOURT,

Pianist and Teacher of Music,

OFFERS HER SERVICES TO THOSE in search of a musical education. Many years of successful experience as a teacher and performer on the Piano are a guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

Speaks English, German and French.

Residence, Kane street, between Blanchard and Douglas. jy30

CHONG KING,

STORE STREET, bet. Johnson and Cormorant Sts.

Manufacturer & Wholesale Dealer in

CIGARS.

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ASHCROFT FALL MEETING.

THE ASHCROFT ANNUAL RACE MEETING WILL BE HELD ON

Wednesday and Thursday the 7th and 8th of October.

ASHCROFT, August 3d, 1874. au5dw8

THE FOLLOWING IS AN

EXTRACT FROM A LETTER

dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitant of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:—

"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly do enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite: this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.

"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."

To the Proprietors of

NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London.

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A RARE CHANCE!

A Chance which seldom occurs now presents itself to a person possessing a little Capital.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE that splendid Farm known as

ROSEBANK FARM,

Situate on the North Arm, Fraser River, about 12 miles below New Westminster, on what is known as Lulu Island; together with live and dead stock, machinery, dairy utensils, &c., &c. The farm consists of about 171 acres of the most fertile alluvial soil, with stiff clay subsoil, about 12 acres of which are down to grass, and about 30 acres more just dyked and fenced, fit for the plough.

The Dwelling House

is 28x44, containing 7 rooms. Frame Barn, 44x88 feet: three stalled horse stable with loft, with other out-buildings.

The Live Stock

comprises one Horse, one four year old Bull, two yoke of work Oxen, 15 Milch Cows, and about 25 head of 1, 2, 3 and 4 year old Steers and Heifers.

The Machinery

consists of a two-horse-power Threshing machine; a Grant's Fanning Mill, No. 4; a No. 3 Clipper Mower, (new); and a horse or ox-power Hay Press; Ploughs; Harrows; and broad cast Sower.

A portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage, if desired.

Satisfactory reasons will be given for wishing to dispose of this valuable property.

W. D. FERRIS.

25th Aug, 1874. au27dw

TO EXCURSIONISTS.

DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS PASsengers and Excursionists will be taken in the O. S.S.Co.'s steamship CALIFORNIA, Capt. John Hayes, to

PORTLAND and BACK

The round trip for $40, including Meals while on board.

Tourists wishing to view the Magnificent Scenery of the North West Coast, can also be accommodated. They will be taken to

SITKA AND RETURN,

Including Board and Lodging while remaining at Sitka, $100.

For particulars apply to

J. P. GOODHUE
un4 Agent, Office at R. Fredrick & Co.'s.

Boys' Collegiate School

WILL ASSEMBLE ON MONDAY, 2d AUGust, at 9 a.m. au1

New Advertisements.

General Abstract

SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.

Liabilities.

Notes in Circulation		$195,696 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches.		35,950 71
Deposits not bearing interest	$617,687 33	
Deposits bearing interest	72,811 56	690,498 89
Total amount of Liabilities		$922,145 60

Assets.

Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$134,182 39
Gold and Silver Bullion	40,048 09
Landed and other Property	35,849 04
Balances due from other Banks and Branches	130,955 78
All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	741,599 03
Total amount of Assets	$1,082,634 33

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 30th June, 1874	$1,490,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders	8 ℔ cent. ℔ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared	$ 59,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend	$ 109,860 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 28th July, 1874.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of July, 1874.

jy29 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

General Abstract,

SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874:

Liabilities.

Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$ 76,223 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	26,218 00
Deposits on call not bearing int.	107,186 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	303,192 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$512,819 00

Assets.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,196 00
Gold Bullion	4,807 00
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	1,767 00
Landed and other Property	18,000 00
Balances due from other Banks & Branches.	241,112 00
Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	197,206 00
Total amount of Assets	$550,088 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874	$5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders	10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year	$250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend	$1,201,613

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 30th June, 1874. JAMES CRAN, Act'g. Accountant.

I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 8th day of July, 1874.

jy9 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M.	Monday at 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Thursday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P. M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A. M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A. M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

G. D. A. GOULTER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Victoria Public that he has received a consignment of

DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,

And other Goods, direct from England per "Sylhet (which he offers for sale at Reasonable Prices) consisting in part of English Patent and other Medicines, Lung and Chest Protectors, Elastic Stockings, Knee-caps, &c., Brushes, Combs, Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Puff Boxes, Toilet Pots, Soaps, Perfumery, Parisian Hair Wash, Hair Dye, Hair Restorer, Glycerine Wash for the Hands, Judson's Dyes, Plate Powder, Borwick's Prize Medal Baking Powder, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Sealskin, Morocco and other Purses, Pens, Ink, Pencils, an assortment of Cut Glassware, and a variety of other articles.

Some CHRISTMAS CASKETS, Etc., at English Prices

STORE on FORT St., adj. Messrs. A & W Wilson's.

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DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,

(FROM CANTON)

Surgeon and Physician,

CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.

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NORRIS & WYLLY

REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENTS.

Accountants and Average Adjusters

LOANS NEGOTIATED

Settlements Effected......Accounts Audited

Rents and Debts Collected.

GOVERNMENT STREET, Victoria.
30th November, 1872. my1

ARTHUR STRONG,

General Contractor and Dust Mover.

CESSPOOLS CLEANSED AT THE SHORTest notice. Regular days for moving dust—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line at reasonable rates.

Orders left at Isaac Johnson's in Trounce Alley will be promptly attended to.

Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victor's Brewery ap12

HAYWARD & JENKINSON, Undertakers,

LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.

Ex PRINCE ALFRED

HAVE RECEIVED A STRAIGHT INVOICE of

English and American

COFFIN FURNITURE

AND

Trimmings.

Of New and Improved Design, all of which are offered to the trade at Reduced Prices. mh7

JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT

Corner of Fort and Langley Streets,

VICTORIA, B. C.

DINNEFORD'S SOLUTION OF MAGNESIA.

DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA

Is the great remedy for

Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;

IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLANTS OF THE BLADDER.

And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of pregnancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.

Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.

N. B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA and use DINNEFORD'S Friction Gloves and Belts'

LEA & PERRINS

CELEBRATED

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,

DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS

TO BE

The Only Good Sauce.

CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.

The success of this delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to

ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE,

and to see that their names are upon the Wrapper, Label, Stopper, and Bottle.

Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea and Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.

Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce and see Name on Wrapper, Label and Stopper.

Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.

To be obtained of Messrs. JANION, RHODES & CO., Victoria, V.I. je4w

DR. YING,

From the College of Medicine, Canton.

LATELY ARRIVED.

CURES CONSUMPTION BLEEDING OF THE Lungs, Paralysis, and other diseases.

Johnson street, next door to On Hing's.

Notices.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE EXISTing between John Parker and Wm. Owens, as Butchers, in Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be conducted by John Parker, who will pay all liabilities and to whom all outstanding accounts must be paid.

JOHN PARKER,
Witness—C. W. HORTH. WILL. OWENS.
Victoria, July 17th, 1874. jy21

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.

de30 Ld. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE.

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Notice to Mariners.

A BELL BUOY BEACON PAINTED RED having a square cone 12 feet high built on float, has been moored in 9 fathoms of water off S. W. Point of Brotchie Ledge, off Victoria Harbor.

The Bell will toll at all times and may be heard from three-quarters of a mile to one mile distant.

Persons are hereby cautioned from boarding said Beacon, or in any way interfering with the same, under penalty of five hundred dollars, which will be rigidly enforced upon information.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1874. my12 2m

MUNICIPAL.

Real Estate and Road Tax.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Real Estate and Road Tax for the Current Year are over due and payable at the office of the undersigned, Broad street. All persons liable to pay the said taxes are required to do so forthwith or proceedings will be taken to recover the same.

THOS. RUSSELL, Collector.
City Council Chambers, July 20, 1874. jy22

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE sum of $25 will be paid by the City Council to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who damaged the Pound Fence on the night of the 10th inst.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.
City Clerk's Office, 13th Aug., 1874. au15

ANNO TRIGESIMO OCTAVO.

Corporation of the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS it is expedient to purchase certain Lands within the limits of the City of Victoria, as a Site for a Municipal Hall and such other Buildings as may be required for Corporate purposes in the said City of Victoria,

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria:

1. It shall and may be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to purchase and hold in the name of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, and for Corporate purposes, all and singular Lots Number 1249 and 1250 in the City of Victoria, as shewn upon the Official Map thereof, at a sum or price not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars, to be paid out of the General Revenue of the said City.

2. This By-Law may be cited for all purposes as the "Victoria Municipal Land By-Law, 1874."

Passed the Municipal Council this 26th day of August, 1874.

WM. DALBY,
W. LEIGH, MAYOR.
Clerk Municipal Council. au28

BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE

HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of

English & French Pianos

PARIS HARMONIUMS,

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,

A Large Assortment of

Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.

Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.

J. BAGNALL, Tuner and Repairer of Musical Instruments, 25 years experience. mh8

Plummer & Pagden AUCTIONEERS,

APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS COMMISSION AGENTS,

Wharf Street, Victoria

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments

Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted.

ON HING,

Dealer in

Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps

HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. jal1 2m

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 3RD, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

How the Case Stands Now.

Her Majesty's Government consider the objections taken by the Columbia Government in regard to the Edgar negotiations frivolous, and advise that objections be waived and negotiations gone on with, expressing the fullest confidence that the Dominion Government will do all that could reasonably be expected under the circumstances. The Dominion Government have, by the action of the Columbia Government, been placed in a position which precludes them from making any more overtures;and they feel that they would be justified in falling back upon the original Terms, requiring them to do nothing beyond commencing the work of railway construction at the seaboard of the Mainland, after completion of surveys and location of the line, carrying on the work as might suit the convenience and financial circumstances of the country. It is the desire of the Dominion Government,however, to serve and conciliate British Columbia as far as possible; and to this end they stand prepared, have stood prepared all along, to receive and favorably consider any reasonable proposition from Columbia. We have the best reason for stating that a proposition embracing Mr. Mackenzie's original offer, amplified and implemented so as to render it highly beneficial and acceptable to the country, would meet with acceptance at Ottawa. But the difficulty arises here: The local Government slammed the door in Mr. Mackenzie's face and shut off negotiations; and now the only constitutional medium for negotiating stands in the way. After the treatment he met with when he approached Columbia with a desire to deal not only justly but generously, Mr. Mackenzie could hardly be expected to renew his advances. After Mr. Walkem's conduct at Ottawa, in first promising and then refusing to submit to writing his proffered proposal,no one can be surprised if Mr. Mackenzie should be disinclined to treat with such a shuffling trickster. What is to be done? Shall Columbia be left to starve because Mr. Mackenzie cannot and Mr. Walkem will not make an advance? There is one, and, so far as we can see, only one way open. Let the people arise in their might and compel the local Government either to advance or get out of the way! The public interests involved are altogether too great to be thus subordinated to the four portfolios which have at best only another year to run. It would be infinitely better to pay these obstructionists their year's salary and get rid of them, so that the great works might go forward and the inevitable tide of prosperity roll over the country. If the Government will not act, the people must even take the matter into their own hands. The necessity is great and Mackenzie is waiting.

The North-west Amnesty.

The Report of the Committee appointed by the Dominion House of Commons to enquire into matters connected with the disturbance in the North-west has occasioned no little controversy in the press. It is with sorrow that we have to confess that the fresh revelations therein involved are, to speak figuratively, "another nail in Sir John Macdonald's political coffin." Not only does it appear that Sir John sanctioned the payment of large sums of secret service money to Louis Riel in order to induce that notable individual to keep beyond the reach of the law at the very time that he solemnly declared, to "Would heaven that I could catch him!"—but it now appears beyond the possibility of doubt that if he did not absolutely promise him amnesty, he led him distinctly to expect it. Take, for example the following passage from the evidence given by Mr. Masson before the Committee:—"Sir John requested me to assure Father Richot that the question of amnesty would be settled to his entire satisfaction before his departure from Ottawa." Mr. Masson hesitated about being the bearer of this message, not liking the responsibility and implaying doubt as to its fulfillment, whereupon Sir John said: "Masson, I tell you can take it." Again:

"On the 14th of June, when, on first approaching me as to my entering the Cabinet, in response to my statement that I could not take the responsibility of helping to conduct the affairs of the country unless the amnesty was granted, Langevin told me that on that score there was no difficulty; that the amnesty was a settled affair; that it would be granted either before or immediately after the next Session; that the Government would take hold of it."

On a subsequent occasion Mr. Masson said that not only could he not think of entering the Cabinet, but he could not continue to support the Government unless amnesty were sought by that Government for Riel and his associates; to which Sir John replied: "Masson, not only will you not go into opposition, but you will before long be one of us." Afterwards Mr. Langevin told Mr. Masson he was authorized by Sir John Macdonald to say that he (Sir John) was going to England, and would settle the question in the sense of an amnesty. Further on Mr. Masson says "subsequently I had conversations with Sir John and also with Langevin, and each of these gentlemen in these conversations informed me that Sir John was going to England, and that they would recommend the settling of the question in the sense of an amnesty, and in fact it was beyond doubt from what both of them said, that this was to be the line of action." In view of these and other passages in the evidence taken before the Committee, it seems impossible to doubt that amnesty was tacitly promised; and having been promised, Sir John ought to have pursued a straightforward, manly course and fulfilled these promises. Instead of doing that, however, he seems to have prevaricated and shuffled from time to time in a foolish endeavour to "run with the hare and hunt with the hounds; and it is not to be wondered at that he met with the common fate of" falling between two stools."

New Advertisements.

BRITISH COLUMBIA PIONEER SOC'Y.

Special Meeting.

AN ADJOURNED AND SPECIAL MEETING of the Society will be held at the rooms on Langley street at 8 o'clock To-morrow (Friday) Evening, for the purpose of settling up the business in connection with the late picnic.

By order of the President,
se3 EDGAR FAWCETT, Secty.

NOTICE.

A RED AND WHITE STEER ABOUT 2 years old, broke into my pasture at Beaver Lake Farm, Lake District, on or about the 1st of June, which the owner can have on paying cost of advertisement and one dollar a month pasturage by applying to GEO. W. ANDERSON,
se3 Cor. Fort and Blanchard Sts., Victoria.

Official List of Letters

REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT Victoria on the 1st September, 1874.

Persons calling for any of the Letters in this List will please say, "Advertised,"

A—Augustus, F
Armour, J
B—Bateman, J
Barker, Mrs
Barry, J
Baker, S
Berry, Mrs
Beedy, Mrs L M
Bakes, S
Becher' R L
Bushman, Joseph
Borde, A
Boullet, M
Buckner, T
Brulins, F
Buntine, A
Brown, J
Booth, J
Bowery, T E
Brown, Mr
Boa, H O
C—Clay, S A
Clemitson, R
Chilson, Mrs A
Campwel, R
Chilson, B
Cadman, S
Clarke, C
Chase, T J
Chisholm, D
Clarke, G D
Carter, T
Clarke, C E
Clarke, J B
Clark, Mrs S
Chambers J
Carter, P
Clauson, E
Colvin, R W
Corder, J
Cook & Collins
Coker, J R
Crane, C
Coleman, G
Coker, Mrs A M
Curnow, M
Coulter, Mrs S
D—DeMenezes, F A
Dickinson, W
DeNobeaga, H A
Dart, H B
Davies, R T
Doyle, P
Donnellan, P
Donelan, P
E—Easywood, W S
F—Flynn, E
Felgan, A
Fannan, S
Fox, J
G—Gay, W A
Gastineau, J
Gilbert & Waterman
Gilkerson, F
Gibbon, M A
Gaydon, H
Grant, R T
Guichard, R
Goodwin, S H
Greenwood, Miss S
H—Hawk, F
Hamilton, Mrs J
Harrison, W M
Henritz, M S S
Harvey, T
Hinds, Mrs A M
Hart, M
Hartnell, H J
Hart, J H
Hinds, J F
Higgins, J
Harman, W H
Hart, J
Hunt, W
Hunter, Hon J
I—Isom, R
Irvine, Miss M A
J—Johnston, Mrs S A
Johnson, J A
Jones, Miss A
Julien, E P
Johnson, H
Jannson, A
Jordan J
Jeffrey, R
Jackson, M
Johns, J A
K—Kemp, W
Keohan, W
King, E L
Knight, J W
L—Lawson, R
Lawrie, C
Laumeister, A
Lissett, Mrs S
Lewis, E
Lewis, C
Lonwith, J
Longhurst, J
Lloyd, W
M—Meston, J
Marshall, J F
Meigs, T B
Martin J J
Mitchell, P F
Mitchell, W G
May, A
Mulligan, A
Morrell, D B
Munro, Miss A
Murray, W C
Murphy, T G
Muller, B J
Mullholland, F O
McMillan, D
McCann, A S
McCallum, D
McKee, J
McAlister, S J
McDonald, C N
McNaughton, A
McKinnon, Capt.
McLean, Miss A
McNeilty, Wm
N—Nicholson, G
Nicholson, J H
Naught, M F
O—Odgers, T
Oliver, J
Orr, J
Oren, M T
P—Patcheler, Mrs
Priesemuth, F
Parmiter, Mrs F
Patten, Mrs J C
Perry, O H
R—Randall, F
Rimars, C
Richerson, Z
Reynolds, A
Read, W
Roberts, W
Rowan, Miss B
Ross, J W
Robinson, G A
Ross, Mrs L O
Richardson, P
S—Smith, Mrs C
Simouse, F
Simpson, D
Smith, E
Scott, Mrs B
Seeley, W C S
Schengert, J
Sinclair, Mrs W
Smalley, J
Sinclair, T
Scott, Mrs M
Smith, R
Strong, A
Schneider, C
Summer, Col E V
Steele, W
Starr, Capt L M
T—Tamblyn, J
Trickey, W
Thomas, G
Temple, W
Temple, J
Thomas, J
Tapson, W
Thompson, J B
Tomlinson, D F
Turner, A
Todd, J G
W—Wamsley, T
Webb, G
Wilkins, J D
Williams T
Williams, R
Williams, E
Wilkins' O
Walsh, J
Wallace, J
Waterman, Mrs J A
Wallace, Mrs E A
Watson, J
White, Miss E
Watson, E
Wolf, L
Wright, Mrs. C

se2 H. WOOTTON, P. M.

Estate of S. D. Levi, a Bankrupt.

TENDERS FOR THE STOCK OF MERchandise, Book Debts, and other effects belonging to the above estate will be received by the undersigned up to noon on Saturday, the 19th inst.

A list of Goods, Debts, &c., may be seen at the office of Welch, Rithet & Co., at Victoria, or on the premises at Nanaimo, on and after the 3d inst. Mr. Chas T. Warren, in charge of the premises at Nanaimo, will give parties wishing to tender an opportunity of inspecting the goods on application being made to him.

Tenders to state terms of payment, and if credit be stipulated for, the names of two competent sureties to be given.

The Assignees do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.

(Signed) R. P. RITHET, } Trade
(Signed) JOHN H. BRODIE, } Assign's
Victoria, B. C., 1st Sept., 1874. seldw

SCHOOL NOTICE.

MRS. SIDNEY WILSON

HAS REOPENED HER SCHOOL AT HER private residence on Frederick street, near St. Louis College.

Hours of Attendance from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Boys under 8 years of age admitted.

Private Lessons given in Music, Singing, French or Drawing, after the hours above mentioned.

August 26th, 1874. au28

REWARD.

A SUITABLE REWARD WILL BE GIVEN to the person who will bring back to the Colonial Hotel a **Double Barreled Gun**, English fabrique, by Leonard, lost along the garden fence, corner Johnson and Blanchard streets—Mr. Heisterman's house. au30 3t

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FROM LONDON.

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IN CASE.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

VICTORIA, B.C., Aug. 29th, 1874.

MRS. AMY STONE,

DEAR MADAM:—The undersigned having experienced much pleasure in witnessing your impersonations of character, and learning of your contemplated early departure from the Province, beg to tender you a Complimentary Benefit, to take place at Theatre Royal on Thursday Evening next.

(Signed)

Wm. Dalby, Mayor
Coun. J. S. Drummond
Coun. Chas. Hayward
Coun. Chas. Gowen
Jer. Nagle
H. M. Cohen
Wm. Lohse, Chief Engin'r
E. Juugerman
Jas. D. Robinson, W. C.
T. C. Nuttall
C. E. Houghton (Lt.-Col.)
F. G. Vernon
C. A. Vernon
H. C. Courtney
J. W. Williams
I. W. Powell (Lt. Col.)
Jas. Trimble, M.P.P.
Turner, Beeton & Tunstall
A. C. Elliott, P.M.
W. A. Robertson, M.P.P.
J. H. Tunstall
D. Eckstien, U.S. Consul
Alex. Gilmore
C. Strouss
Jas. Muirhead
J. T. Howard (Esquimalt)
W. H. Oliver
James Burns
Thos. Chadwick
J. Stewart
Chas. Kent
Alex. B. Gray

REPLY.

VICTORIA, August 31, 1874.

His Worship the Mayor and City Councillors, Hon'ble James Trimble, and others, signers of the above requisition:

GENTLEMEN:—It is with feelings of deep gratitude that I have received your kind epistle in which you so generously added your names for a complimentary benefit as a token of your liberal encouragement in return for my humble efforts to please you. Duly appreciating this gratifying mark of your esteem, and the generous mark of approbation I have received at your hands and the Victoria public during my sojourn in your City, I beg to return my sincere thanks and propose the beautiful play of "Little Barefoot" for the occasion

Most respectfully yours,
se1 AMY STONE.

THEATRE ROYAL!

SOLE LESSEE & MANAGERESS, MRS. F. M. PHELPS

Thursday Eve'g, Sept. 3,

LAST NIGHT BUT TWO!

COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT

—TO—

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The Hon. MRS. HARE,
And Officers of H.M.S. Myrmidon,
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And City Council,
And Hon. DAVID ECKSTEIN, U.S. Consul.

On which occasion will be presented the beautiful play in five acts of

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Box office open from 10 till 4 at the Theatre.
Doors open at 7:30; Curtain will rise at 8:15 p.m.
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HAS JUST RECEIVED

Ex "William Taber,"

2,500 ROLLS WALL-PAPER,

OF THE LATEST DESIGNS,

BIRD CAGES,
CLOTHES & PAPER BASKETS,
WILLOW CHAIRS,
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And a general assortment of

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All sorts of Upholstery Work done.
Making and Repairing of Parlor Sets, Lounges, Mattrasses, etc.
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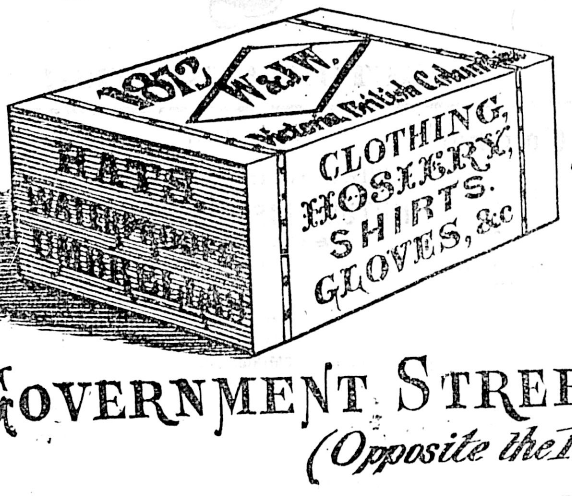

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AN INTELLIGENT BOY ABOUT 16 TO do out-door work and take charge of a horse and carriage. Apply at
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ABLE BODIED AND ORDINARY Seamen for China, Peru, Chili and Australia. Also—First and Second Mates.

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au22 Bastion street.

WANTED.

A YOUNG LADY WISHING TO PROCEED to England, is desirous of meeting with a family who would consider her services an equivalent for the cost of her passage. Best references given.

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Apply to MRS. LENEVEU,
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A PARTNER IN A GOOD PAYING BUSIness in the country. Capital required from $600 to $800; or will sell, or will pay 2 per cent. on the loan of $400 for 1 or 2 years. Apply at the
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GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA,
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On a Liberal Credit.

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White and Grey Double Width Sheetings, Black and Colored Alpacas, Men's White Shirts, Fancy Regatta and Baltic Shirts, Serge and other Coats, Men's and Women's Hose, Towels in variety, Black Cotton Velvet, Lace Curtains, Blankets, Dungaree, Ticks, Wide Upholstering Hessians, Black Cloth, Corsets, Table Damasks, Handkerchiefs, etc., etc.

—ALSO—

FURNITURE, Etc.

3 Handsome Walnut Bedsteads (new), other Bedsteads, Bedding, &c., 1 Sewing Machine, etc., etc.

ALSO—At commencement of sale—A Lot of Plunder, Old Iron, etc.

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R. B. THOMPSON, DENTIST,

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HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House,

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

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THE WELL-KNOWN HOTEL AND GENeral Store of LEON ECKSTEIN, now doing a thriving business, is offered for sale on account of the owner having to leave on important business.

The population of the district is rapidly increasing and the store enjoys a large Indian Trade.

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Attached to the Hotel is a Farm, a beautiful Garden and Fine Orchard. For particulars apply to

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING ABOUT 80 tons of Timothy Hay and good Shed-room for Cattle, offers excellent accommodation to the owners of Stock from the up-country seeking a market.

There is a good Steamboat Landing at Frogmore, and as the Wagon-road will be completed by the 1st of November, a band of cattle might be quartered at my place and shipped as required to Victoria.

W. H. LADNER.
Frogmore, Fraser River, Aug. 28. au30dw

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A GRAND

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT

Under the auspices of the above Orchestra, will be given at the

PHILHARMONIC HALL, FORT ST.,

On Thursday, September 10th, 1874,

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE

ROYAL HOSPITAL!

Admission $1; Reserved Seats 25 cts. extra.

Seats may be Reserved at the Hall on Wednesday, the 9th, and the day of the Concert, between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; Concert to commence at 8.

Tickets can be obtained from the Librarian, the Members of the Orchestra, the Committee of the Roya Hospital, and at T. N. Hibben & Co's. au28

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.

THE O.S.S.CO'S STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA,

CAPT. JOHN HAYES,

Will leave Victoria for Sitka and Fort Wrangel, on or about Friday, 4th Sept'r, connecting with the steamer Hope.

For Passage, Freight and Stock apply to
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ST. LOUIS COLLEGE.

THIS INSTITUTION WILL REOPEN ON MONDAY, August 17th, at 9 a.m. au13

NOTICE.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

MR. J. D. PEMBERTON, THE PROPRIEtor of the land on the Cadboro Bay Road, where the Rifle Butts are placed, having objected to any further firing thereat.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the butts will be removed by the Militia Department as soon as possible and all firing thereat after this date is forbidden. There will be no firing at the expense and under the regulation of the Association at any range until further notice.

By direction of the Council of the Rifle Association.
VICTORIA, Aug. 6th, 1874. au7

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A BROWN PONY, WITH WHITE spots on saddle place, branded No. 2 on one shoulder. Whoever will bring him to the undersigned, or give information leading to his recovery, will receive the above reward.

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R. HAGGERTY

STORE STREET, between Johnson and Cormorant,

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HIGHEST CASH PRICES

For Ladies' and Gentlemen's

CASTOFF CLOTHING,
SECONDHAND FURNITURE,
BOOKS, ETC.,

Parties not wishing to bring their articles to me will be waited upon at their residences. au9 2p

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Edward Grove, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the same on or before the 20th September next to Mr. S. Berdan, Boston Bar; and all persons who have any claims against aforesaid estate are requested to send in their accounts to abovementioned person at Boston Bar, by the same date.

A. PRINGLE, } Executors
ALEX. COUTIER. }
August 15th, 1874. au23dw

NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province, ALEXANDER A. GREEN holds my Power of Attorney.

F. GARESCHE.
VICTORIA, B. C., Aug 26th, 1874. au26 1w

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Frank Chiara and Simon Filippini is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

FRANK CHIARA,
SIMON FILIPPINI.
ALKALI LAKE, May 23, 1874. au25

CASSIAR EXPRESS!

THE CASSIAR EXPRESS BUSINESS RElinquished by F. J. Barnard & Co., is continued by

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EXPRESS MATTER

Will be Regularly Forwarded

From BARNARD'S EXPRESS OFFICE
au29dw **Yates Street.**

St. Ann's Convent Schools.

THE ABOVE INSTITUTIONS WILL REopen on TUESDAY, 1st September—both View and Humboldt streets. au27

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 3RD, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

IMPORTS.

Per bark Delaware, fm Honolulu—1157 kegs sugar, 80 bgs rice, 915 bgs coarse salt.

CONSIGNEES.

Per bark Delaware, fm Honolulu—Welch, Rithet & Co, R. Carr, Casamayou & Co.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 2d.

The Mayor took the Chair at 7:35 p.m. Present—Couns. Gowen, Taylor, Drummond, Mitchell, Hayward and Morton.

FINANCE.

The following bills were referred to the Finance Committee: Labor on streets $319. Hauling—Lakin, $24; Baker, $36; Ferris, $34 50; Tierney, $36; Wells, $36; Strong, $36; Williams, $36; Brown, $33. Gas, $121 25; Moody & Nelson, $36 90; Black, night watchman, $7 50; rent, $20.

POUND.

The Poundkeeper's monthly report showed $33 50 for fees.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. Field requesting permission to take up sidewalk in front of R. Maynard's store. Granted.

From R. Plummer, stating that the Chamber of Commerce wished to call the attention of the Corporation to the fact that commercial travelers failed to comply with the law requiring them to take out licenses. The Clerk was instructed to inform the Chamber that the law would be enforced.

From A. Gilmore, calling the attention of the Council to the petition of Store street property-owners to have that street graded to the water side. Referred to the Street Committee.

CREMATION.

From the Inspector of Police, stating that a Chinaman had gone into the cemetery, exhumed a body, removed the flesh from the bones and boiled the bones, much to the disgust of the neighborhood, permission having been granted by Dr. Ash.

Coun. Drummond said that this was a substantial proof that his statement at last meeting was correct, although he had been ridiculed by THE COLONIST, which said that the body was that of a pig. He moved that the communication be received and the officers be instructed by the Mayor to prevent any such nuisance in future.

Coun. Morton moved in amendment that an action be immediately commenced by the City Barrister against Dr. Ash, Provincial Secretary, for permitting such an act.

Coun. Hayward said that Dr. Ash might have given permission as Trustee of the Cemetery Board to remove the remains, as he frequently did.

Coun. Morton contended that the practice should be stopped and Dr. Ash prosecuted.

Coun. Mitchell reminded Coun. Drummond that it was he (Mitchell) who had called the body a pig.

The communication was received.

SMALL-POX.

A communication from the City Barrister recommending that the question of expense of caring for the last smallpox patients be referred to the Dominion Government. The communication enclosed an affidavit from Jane Perry stating that the disease broke out before the arrival of the Prince Alfred here.

Coun. Morton complained that his takings had fallen off $700 during the month of August in consequence of a letter in the *Standard* newspaper in relation to this quarantine matter and defended himself from the imputation cast upon him.

The recommendation was adopted.

BELL TOWER.

Coun. Mitchell as chairman of committee asked for another week. Granted.

Coun. Hayward moved that the Water Commissioner be instructed to lay before the Council at next meeting a report and financial statement of the Water Works account and the approximate amount of outstanding liabilities.

Coun. Gowen seconded and the motion was carried.

THE LOTS.

Coun. Hayward moved that the Council refrain from paying any money on account of the lots until the opinion of the Barrister be obtained on the legality of the by-law. He had been requested to sign a cheque only last week on this account and he had refused.

He had found that the City Barrister had clearly given his opinion to the effect that the by-law must be published for 7 days and also that the account must be paid out of this year's revenue.

The Mayor said he instructed the Clerk to draw the cheque, accused Coun. Hayward of taking the cheque without any authority to do so and he had then instructed the Clerk to draw the second cheque and get it signed.

Coun. Hayward denied a good deal of the Mayor's assertions. He said he had instructed the Clerk not to draw any cheque for the purpose as the legality of the purchase was not clear.

Coun. Morton corroborated the statement of Coun. Hayward and a long and acrimonious debate ensued as to the propriety of Coun. Hayward's act, and explanations were made by the Clerk and the Messenger which were deemed satisfactory. Coun. Morton and Hayward's remarks were greatly applauded.

It was shown that the City Barrister had given his opinion that the purchase of the lots on the plan proposed was illegal.

Coun. Drummond said the resolution to purchase the lots was passed unanimously.

Coun. Morton—That is false.

Coun. Drummond contended that the best thing they could do was to pay for the lots at once.

Coun. Hayward—I told you that that would be the result.

Couns. Mitchell and Taylor spoke strongly in favor of the purchase, and Coun. Taylor moved that the lots be purchased out of this year's revenue.

Coun. Drummond seconded and showed that the funds were ample for the purpose.

Coun. Hayward replied that he had urged that the Clerk should draw up a carefully prepared statement; but this has not been allowed. Now Coun. Drummond had brought forward a statement which he had cooked (Coun. Drummond objected to the word cooked). Hayward continued that if such a statement be prepared he would be able to prove that the City is in debt. He contended that the Mayor, having solemnly promised not to sign a cheque for more than $1500, could not do otherwise now or break his word. He said that the difficulty of the non-payment of the cheques had forced upon them the resolution of payment for the lots out of this year's revenue—a resolution which the majority were determined to carry out. (Applause.)

The Mayor favored immediate payment for the lots and said that when he promiced not to sign a cheque for more than $1500 he believed Coun Hayward's statement as to the liabilities was correct. He now found that that statement was incorrect.

Coun. Morton said that at the interview which he and Coun. Hayward had with the City Barrister, Mr. Robertson distinctly said the Mayor had misled him into the belief that the lots were to be paid for out of the current year's revenue and nothing had been said to him about payments of $1500 a year, and he said they must either swallow their own words and pay for the lots out of the current revenue or allow the bylaw to fall through. He (Coun. Morton) declared that the lots were not worth $3000 and the Mayor knew it. (Applause and the Mayor called order). Coun Morton contended that the lots were not cheap and he believed them to be assessed at their full value.

Coun Hayward, seconded by Coun. Morton, moved that the Council shall not pay any sum on the lots until the opinion of the City Barrister be obtained as to the legality of the bylaw, and reported to the Council.

An amendment was proposed by Coun. Taylor, seconded by Coun. Drummond that the lots be paid for at once; carried.

Coun. Morton moved that Coun. Hayward's letter of protest to the Clerk be read which, after some confusion, was done.

Coun. Mitchell moved that the Clerk be instructed to inform the City Barrister that no opinion be given at the expense of Council to any member of the Council in his private capacity, except the Mayor, and also, that the application must be made in writing.

Coun. Drummond seconded.

Coun. Morton said that he was sorry to find that such a resolution should find either mover or seconder. The Barrister had said that he had been deceived in the matter. He had been allowed to believe that the price would be paid for out of this year's revenue. He characterized the conduct of the supporters of this motion as villanous.

Coun. Taylor (rising in excitement and seizing a bound volume)—Coun. Morton, you ought to be ashamed of yourself, you scoundrel! His voice was drowned in a general cry for "order."

After a few remarks from Coun. Hayward the motion was carried and the Council adjourned.

To-Night.

This evening has been set apart at Theatre Royal by the management, at the urgent request of a large number of citizens, for the benefit of Amy Stone, the accomplished young actress whose charming personations of character have given such unbounded satisfaction, and who will shortly take her departure forever from our shores. There ought to be a full house—we feel sure that there will be. "Little Barefoot," a companion piece to "Fanchon," will be played with Amy Stone as the heroine.

YOUNG VANCOUVER AT CRICKET AND SCHOOL.—At the midsummer examination at The Nest, Jedburgh, Scotland, the following prizes were awarded to the sons of Hon. Dr. Helmcken of this city and son of J. A. Grahame, Esq., of Manitoba. To J. Helmcken, class 4, 1st prize in Bible history, and 1st prize in classics. In class 4, to Harry Helmcken, 1st prize in Latin, 1st in modern languages, 1st in writing, and 1st in fencing. In class 4, to Harry Grahame, 1st prize in Bible history, 1st in history and geography, 1st in English language. The conductors of The Nest are evidently of opinion that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," for we find in the local papers our young Vancouverians figuring most creditably in a cricket match between The Nest Eleven and the Eildon House (Melrose) Eleven. The former won the match in one innings—J. Helmcken making 18, and H. Helmcken 5. In a subsequent match between the Waverley and Nest Elevens, J. Helmcken made 26 and Harry Helmcken 18—the Nest Eleven winning the match in one innings.

NEW WESTMINSTER—A Chinaman brought up for selling whisky to Indians got off under the provision of the new law which requires two or more witnesses. Judge Sanders is recovering. Judge Bushby goes to Kootenay for a couple of months. The Hyack picnic was held yesterday. The Etta White was at the Camp, the work of resetting the buoys at the mouth of the Fraser having been completed. The lightship will be placed in another position. Mr. Mahood, having completed the township surveys, was proceeding to Chilliwhack to survey preemptions. The weather warm and harvest work progressing favorably. The fish harvest is about over.

SHOOTING FOR PROVINCIAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION PRIZES.—The Dominion Government have placed $400 in the hands of the B. C. Provincial Rifle Association for investment in prizes to be competed for at the Butts by riflemen of the Province. It is probable that this sum will be considerably augmented by private sucscription and that the prizes will be the most valuable ever offered in the Province. Some of the prizes will be open to all comers; others will be shot for only by members of the Militia. Due notice will be given of the event.

FROM HONOLULU.—The American bark Delaware, 20 days from Honolulu, S. I., arrived yesterday. The Delaware brings 200 tons of freight—principally salt and sugar. She was detained 4 or 5 days in the straits by adverse winds. The run down was made in 21 days. Capt. Hines has placed us under obligations for late papers.

NEW DIGGINGS.—Fine gold is found in the bars of Little Salmon River, about 25 miles from Fort Shepherd, where from $10 to $15 a day to the hand is being made with rockers. Quite a number of claims have been taken up.

THE work of dredging the harbour is progressing satisfactorily. An average of 16 punts is sent out daily.

A NOVEL PROJECT.

"Teaching the Young (Siwash) Idea How to Shoot."

Capt. C. E. S. Macdonald, a wealthy Scotch resident of San Francisco, has been in our midst for some days on an errand both unique and philanthropic. We understand that his object is, briefly, to organize a body of young Indians of the western and eastern prairies and Vancouver Island, and instruct and perfect them in the science of arms, firmly believing that they will furnish the finest material for soldiers, and to demonstrate to the Government and others that the ill-used and hitherto considered useless Indians, now a burden and a vast expense to maintain, can, under a proper system of instruction and discipline, be utilized for the public benefit and made a serviceable and efficient branch of Government troops, thus advancing civilization among them and elevating their moral and physical condition, so that instead of being the victims, as they are now, of the fraud and rapacity of the speculator and hunted like wild beasts, the poor Indians will find shelter and protection among us and become our friends and faithful allies. We are glad to learn that Capt. Macdonald's object will be forwarded and aided by the officials and other prominent citizens in this Province. We believe the intention of the projector is to secure six Indian youths from different tribes on the Island with the consent of their parents or guardians, furnishing ample security for their proper treatment and safe return to the Province, and take them to San Francisco, where with 24 other Indians they will be sent to school, taught to read and write, and instructed in the art of arms as originated by Capt. Macdonald, who took a company of San Francisco Zouaves to the East a year ago and won the most flattering enconiums from experienced military men in the largest cities—appearing at times before 200,000 spectators on the continent, and traveling over an area of 10,000 miles, giving frequent exhibitions blindfolded. An idea of Capt. Macdonald's system may be gathered from the following extract from the New York *Sun*, which we select from a score of others in leading papers:

"The San Francisco Cadets gave their first exhibition in this city in the Seventh Regiment Armory last evening. They are the guests of the Seventh, and that fact was sufficient of itself to assemble a hall full of spectators. The cadets number ninety-three men, commanded by Capt. Macdonald and Lieut. Bigley.

The drilling squad last evening consisted of twenty files. They entered the large drill room in a column of twos, and after exhibiting their proficiency in changing from twos to fours while on the march and even in the act of facing about, their peculiar skill of drilling blindfold was exhibited. Capt. Macdonald says that the theory of executing manœuvres by rule and not by sight enables men to operate as efficiently by night as by day. His success in drilling a chosen few under this theory was pronounced marvelous by the military men who witnessed it.

The first peculiar evolution was executing the manual of arms blindfold to the tap of the drum. The men were drawn up in column of fours, with wide spaces, and after executing every order of handling arms—order, carry, support, right shoulder, shift, present, arms at port, loading, aiming and back to order again—no variation in the alignment was noticeable. Blindfold marching to the word of command was next exhibited. Starting in close column of twos, the alignment was changed to fours, sixes and eights, their front in line, and back to close column of twos, with as little variation as though the men were puppets responding to the wire. The more difficult wheelings were next executed. Right wheel on centre pivot and about facing, left wheel in two ranks and four ranks, were repeated several times, and when the command halted finally in two perfectly dressed ranks applause was showered on them.

After more marching evolutions, which were executed with precision, bayonets were fixed and the skirmish drill was performed. Bearing in mind the necessity for keeping the spacing accurate in this drill, their remarkable proficiency will be seen in the fact that in the loading and firing on face and back, in single and in four ranks, rallies in twos, fours and eights, there was no bad alignment, no mistake. When the command took off their blindfolds in two ranks, their dress was as near perfect as if they had measured every step of the various evolutions by eye.

Their rifles were next exchanged for Springfield muskets, with the old-fashioned bayonet, and the bayonet exercise was performed, also blindfold. This drill, in its rapid changes, with the greater variety of positions in which the musket is held, demands more movement than the skirmish tactics. They were so successful in the thrusts and parries, guard and lunge, that a stormy encore demanded a repetition. The closing performance was the skirmish drill, with the blindfold removed. The movement of rallying around the flag in hollow square and in eights, with ranking fours, was introduced for effect, and was executed with wonderful precision."

SEMILKAMEEN.—Crops look well and cattle are in excellent condition. Rock Creek gold mines are pouring out well, Bill Bristol has made a good job of the trail. Allison is on his way down with 55 head of cattle.

H. M. S. BOXER, with Lieut.-Col. Powell on board, will sail for the West Coast at seven o'clock this morning. The Superintendent of Indian Affairs will visit all the tribes on the Coast before returning.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Edwin Johnson (firm of Robertson & Johnson) the well-known Solicitor, will leave to-morrow for England and will be absent about three months.

BEEF.—The steamer Enterprise brought down 42 head of beeves, from Haynes & Lowe's farm, Osooyos, for F. Reynolds and Stafford & Goodacre.

FRASER RIVER BUOYS.—The steamer Etta White returned from Frasermouth yesterday. Capt. Jolly, to whom was entrusted the task of resetting the buoys, came in her, and reports the channel properly marked.

H. M. S. CAMELEON was at Honolulu on the 8th of August.

THE Wesleyan District meeting will be held to-day.

Nanaimo.

Capt. Howard, of the bark Remjijo, lying at Departure Bay, was brought up on Saturday before Capt. Ferguson, J. P., on a charge of assaulting one of his seamen named Edward Swanson. Captain Howard was committed for trial, bail being fixed at $2,000, which was procured.

The annual picnic of St. Paul's Sabbath School was held on Protection Island. The Rector, Rev. Mr. Reynard, was not able to be present on account of illness, but the splendid Brass Band which owes its existence and profficiency to him, was in attendance and contributed greatly to the enjoyableness of the occasion.

At Departure Bay the bark Wellington had completed her cargo, and the Remijijo had commenced loading. At the Douglas Pit the bark W. P. Parke had completed her cargo and awaited steam.

LOST.—The bark Scotland, Capt. Glidden, from Puget Sound, missing for many months, was undoubtedly lost off the coast of China. She has been found near an island, masts and rigging still standing, with 20 feet of water over the deck at high tide. All hands were either lost with her or were massacred by the natives. Capt. Glidden was well known here and on Puget Sound, having been one of the owners of the Port Orchard mills.

PIG OR MAN?—Coun. Drummond seems to have been right—for once—when he said that a human body had been cremated. Permission to cremate was given by Dr. Ash, who may find that unpleasant results will flow therefrom. Not long ago this cremating Minister issued orders to level the graves of strangers and convert the plot into a lawn or croquet ground. What next?

CHILLIWHACK—Heavy rains and cloudy weather. Harvesting mostly over; but crops less than formerly because less was put in, there being no demand. A few days ago the Municipal Council referred the Road Tax to the people, who, by a large majority, said they would not pay the tax.

BURRARD INLET.—On Sunday last an Indian named John Hall, having on the Queen's birthday had his nose bitten off in a drunken row, hanged himself because he couldn't stand the ridicule. Business is very lively just now. Three large ships are lying at Moody's mills, and as many at Hastings.

ARREST.—J. Lachaud, lately proprietor of a laundry on Chatham street, has been arrested on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretences. He is heavily in debt to tradesmen, and took to the bush when pursued by the Sheriff's officer; but was caught napping beside a log near the Saanich road on Monday.

THE NEW CUSTOM HOUSE.—The lower or basement story of this new building is completed and Mr. Humber, the contractor, has commenced with the brickwork. The work, thus far, has been done in a most satisfactory manner.

THE steamer Enterprise, with the following passengers, arrived yesterday afternoon: Rev. Russ and wife, Rev. Bryant and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bushby, Mrs. McGilvray, Mrs. Chadsey, Mrs. Hall, Judge O'Reilly, Messrs. Allison, Bagnall, C. G. Major, Kibblewhite, Bress, Thain, Brew, Brewer, Booth.

Sandwich Islands.

We note the sale this week of the plantation and mill of the West M[illegible]i Sugar Association, at Lahania, for $33,[illegible]. The purchasers are Messrs. Campbell & Turton, proprietors of the Pioneer Mill Plantation, of that place.

Three arrests were made last night, on warrants for using seditious language.

On Friday last, Capt. Hiram Kahanawai died very suddenly, as is supposed from aneurism. He had just entered the King's presence, and bowed to his Majesty when he dropped on the floor, and was carried out dead. He was a trusty and faithful servant, of a quiet and reserved disposition, and made a favorable impression on all who knew him.

By telegraph we learn that the British Parliament adjourns to-day—and so does ours. We won't institute comparisons; but why should John Bull run "cheek by jowl" with us? ominous, and we refer it for consideration to the *Gazette*.

Last Wednesday His Majesty the King, accompanied by His Excellency Governor Dominis and members of his staff, paid an official visit to H. I. R. M.'s corvette Haydamak, Capt. Tirtoff. The yards of the corvette as well as those of the U.S.S Benicia and H. B. M. S. Cameleon were manned, and salutes were fired on the departure of the Royal party, after a stay of about an hour on shipboard.

Yesterday, at noon, His Majesty and suite visited H. B. M. S. Cameleon, and were received with the usual honors, that ship and the U. S. S. Benicia manning yards and saluting.

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NAVAL.

H. B. M.'s S. Cameleon, Capt. Kennedy, arrived at this port on Sunday, 34 days from Callio. The following is a list of her officers:

Commander—A. J. Kennedy.
Lieutenant—C. H. Buckle.
Lieutenant—T. M[illegible]ill.
Nav. Lieutenant—J. Froster.
Staff-Surgeon, 2d Cl.—D. McN. Johnson, M. D.
Paymaster—R. Hill.
Chief Engineer—G. Fitzgerald.
Sub-Lieutenant—R de Lisle.
Surgeon—St. Lawrence Mullen, M. D.
Asst. Paymaster—G. A. F. C. C. Scales.
Engineers—Jno. Taylor, Ed. Barrett.
Gunner—H. Richards.
Boatswain—C. Pellow.
Carpenter—H. Gay.
Midshipmen—H. Lake, L. Tufnell, M. Thompson.

The Cameleon left Callao June 9th, Rear Admiral, the Hon. A. A. Cochrane, C. B. Commander-in-Chief, awaiting the arrival of the Repulse, which was expected about June 20. The Scout and Nereus were at Coquimbo, and the former may be expected here about the end of August, with the Transit of Venus party, as stated by us last week.

KINAHAN'S L. L. WHISKY.—This most delicious old mellow spirit is the very Cream of Irish Whiskies, is unrivalled, perfectly pure, and more wholesome than the finest Cognac Brandy.—Note the Red Seal, Pink Label, and Cork, branded "Kinahan's L.L."—Findlay Durham & Brodie, Agents.

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere.

Cassiar Correspondence.

LETTER FROM "BOX."

August, 9th 1874.

There has been a good deal of sickness here, in the shape of rheumatism, scurvy, and mountain fever, caused by exposure and lack of proper nourishment. Rheumatism appears to be the chief complaint, and a great many suffer fearfully, and still a greater number pretend to suffer from it who are not in the least affected. Let me illustrate this a little in order that you may see the object. You have, no doubt, heard of many rich prospects being found in the claims, which are not being worked for some reason or other; there are a great many of these claims wing-dammed and already to work with the exception of putting in a pump and then

GOLD WILL BE TAKEN OUT BY THE BUCKET-FULL.

But, strange to say, nearly all the owners are down with the rheumatism, and want to

SELL OUT.

Reader, can you see through this LITTLE dodge? Well, the fact is they have no more rheumatism than you or I. Perhaps they know the RICH CLAIM is a bilk. There is just gold enough on the rim to make it prospect well, and that's all. Whenever one is lucky enough to sell out, it is astonishing how quickly he gets rid of the rheumatism, and starts for below to recite such tales of

MISERY AND HARDSHIPS

as would soften the heart of any sea captain, to take him out of the country. But don't mistake me. There are only a few of the many who are returning, who have been lucky enough to sell out.

The weather now is very bad. It has been raining for a months with only two fine days, and is growing so cold that by the 10th of September I think they will all have to leave. How pleasant would you cety folks feel if you were out all day in the wet, come home to a wet tent, go to bed in wet blankets, and get up in the morning steaming wet. Yet this is Cassiar-like. But, you will say, the country is not half prospected; there will be better diggings found. Where? When? If there is anything that looks like a creek or a flat, 100 miles from Dease or Thibert Creeks, except the

DELOIRE RIVER,

I will make you a present of all my gold dust. Admitting that the country is not yet prospected, who is to blame. the men who came here this season for that purpose or the "speculators" who undertook to furnish the country with the necessaries of life, at moderate prices.

About 150 men have gone down the Deloire. Of these a few have returned and report nothing but a small prospect of fine dust. Some Chinamen have also returned from there, and report that a rich prospect of from $2 to $3 to the pan was struck, but as they wanted to sell their boat and did not wish to return there, it is safe to stamp that as

ANOTHER BILK.

I am willing to stake my last pound of beans (and that is equal to a man's life in a country like this) that diggings for 500 men will not be found north of "Cariboo." Of course merchants, traders and steamboat men will give you a highly-colored picture of these

NORTHERN GOLD FIELDS

Next fall, hoping to induce another rush, that they may reap another golden harvest.

I understand William Moore, jr., has gone to Victoria to build a new steamer for the Stickeen trade next season. I can assure you that if he does build one it won't be for this trade; but it is well to keep up the delusion? His father gets a toll of $40 for every ton of freight, and $5 for every animal that goes into Dease Lake over his trail. Do you think he would call the country a bilk? No, sir, not at that price. If Capt. Parsons gets $80 per ton for freight, and $25 from each passenger exclusive of meals and a "bunk" from Fort Wrangel 150 miles up the river; would he call it a bilk? Certainly not. I heard a speculator say the other day that "no man had any business to leave the country without money; and that none but loafers and men who would not work, went back." Let him or any other man come on Dease Creek and see hundreds of poor fellows wet and hungry, trying to drag out an existence on beans and flour, straight, going around prospecting or trying to beg a day's work at any price. And then say that "none but loafers or idlers return." Or if Mr. Nelson makes a hundred thousand dollars should he call the country a bilk? No. It's the biggest thing yet (for "by mighty"). But it appears to me in a country like this, certain people have an infatuation for lying. Look at those of the "Peter" stamp, who has induced men to come here by the score from Pioche and elsewhere, and in another season he would have lied enough to have brought women and children from Siberia.

But I am writing this for the benefit of my friends and to them I saw

DON'T COME HERE TO LOOK FOR GOLD.

If you do, you will return without it.

Outside of a half a dozen of claims on Dease Creek, the country is not fit for Chinaman's diggings. Two or three hundred men could have made wages here this season if flour could be obtained for about $20 per 100 lbs., with everything else in proportion, which would have been the case had not every animal been bought up and monopolized; and now I am told the Indians who have been packing for a living are bought in order that the small traders may be shut out from sending anything into the mines.

The distance fram Dease Lake to Telegraph Creek in my estimation is not over 75 miles, and for pack animals equal to a macadamized road, with the best of pasturage for nearly the whole way. The pack trains make the round trip in 8 and 9 days, and the Indians in 6, and one packer told me that 10 to 12 cents would be big freight on this route. But it appears the game of "grab" has been played to the detriment of the many with remarkable boldness by a few who hold the reins for the time being.

I will now conclude, and leave friends to consider over the golden prospects of Cassiar, and you, Mr. Editor, to your reflections, while I depart for some other locality, to look for what I have not found in Cassiar; and if I should again drop you a few lines, you may without hesitation rely on the contents of my Box.

Canadian Mail.

C. J. Brydges is to get the new portfolio in this way—Senator Panet will replace Major Futvoye as Deputy Minster of Militia, and Mr. Brydges will be called to the Senate and appointed chief of the proposed Railroad Bureau.

Russian emigrants, belonging to the Mennoite body, are pouring through Berlin on their way to Canada and the United States.

During His Excellency's stay at Chatham he will be the guest of Mr. Stephenson, M. P.; at Goderich he will put up at the residence of Mr. M. C. Cameron, M. P.; at Simcoe, at Dr. Campbell's; at Brantford, with Hon. Geo. Brown, at Bow Park; at London, with Mr. Walker, M. P. The arrangements have in each case been made in accordance with the request of His Excellency's A. D. C.

FORT GARRY, Man., Aug 14.—The Local Government have comenced action with regard to an inquiry into the circumstances attending Lord Gordon's suicide. Certified copies of the warrants said to have been issued for the arrest have been written for, and copies of the evidence at the Coroner's inquest are being obtained.

Mr. S. Macdonald is here, prospecting for a reservation in behalf of a colony from Ontario, under the auspices of Mr. W. Gibson, M. A. for Dundas; Mr. W. Barrie, of Morrisburg, and himself. He leaves for the Little Saskatchewan shortly.

The "Free Press" replies sharply to the "Citizen's" statement that Mr. Anglin received a printing coutract from Government, giving for it an equivalent in certain rulings as Speaker. The inference is denounced as exhibiting an inability on the part of the Opposition to comprehend conduct not dictated by selfish or sordid motives. The Opposition are as hard up here as elsewhere for subjects on which to attack the Government.

QUEBEC, Aug 15.—On the return of Mr. Robertson next week the question of the existence of the present Government will be definitely disposed of, as it has been decided that the general resignation shall take place after his arrival. The Hon. Commissioner of Crown Lands, Dr. Fortin, desired to resign on Tuesday, but, at the request of the Premier, he retains his portfolio until the arrival of Mr. Robertson. It is stated that the Premier has expressed to his Honour the Leutenant-Governor his desire to retire, but that his Honour declined receiving his resignation out of courtesy to the absent Treasurer.

The Short of a Long Story.

[From the New York World.]

The least said is truly the soonest mended. Decent people who find life too short to wade through the filth of the Brooklyn scandal may like to have the pith of the case laid before them in its four cardinal points, now all in evidence, and fatally correlated by the dates:

TILTON TO MOULTON.

December, 1870.

Six months ago I learned from my wife that H. W. Beecher has dishonored my home. I can bear it no longer. Bring him to me that I may mention it to him. T. TILTON.

MOULTON TO BEECHER.

January, 1871.

Tilton thinks you have ruined his business. Prove yourself his friend and it will all be right. You can stand on the truth.

BEECHER TO MOULTON.

May, 1873.

Pay to F. D. Moulton, for the benefit of Theodore Tilton, $5,000.

H. W. BEECHER.

TILTON TO BEECHER.

June, 1873.

To H. W. B.: Grace, mercy and peace.

T. T.

NEW GOODS.—Turner Beeton & Tunstall have received per "Wm Taber" a further large shipment of seventy-five cases of Dry Goods, bought in England by Mr. J. H. Turner. These goods have arrived in a much shorter time than any ever received in this Province, having come via New York and Central Pacific Railroad. They comprise the latest novelties and will be sold at unusually low rates.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

Miscellaneous.

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Canadian Pacific Railway.

TELEGRAPH LINE.

PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR THE erection of a line of telegraph along the general route of the Canadian Pacific Railway, as may be defined by the Government. The proposals to embrace the following points, viz:

The furnishing of all materials, labor, instruments and everything necessary to put the line in operation.

The maintenance of the line for a period of five years after its completion.

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(1) Fort Garry to a point opposite Fort Pelly, about 250 miles.

(2) Fort Garry to the bend of the North Saskatchewan, about 500 miles.

(3) Fort Garry to a point in the longitude of Edmonton, about 800 miles.

(4) Lac La Hache, or other convenient point on the existing telegraph system in British Columbia to Fort Edmonton, about 550 miles.

(5) Fort Garry to Nipegon, Lake Superior, about 420 miles.

(6) Ottawa to Nepigon, Lake Superior, about 760 miles.

The above distances are approximate. They are given for the general guidance of parties desiring information. Any increase or diminution in the ascertained mileage after construction will be paid for or deducted, as the case may be, at a rate corresponding with the sum total of the tender.

Parties tendering must satisfy the Government as to their ability to carry out the work and maintain it for the specified time.

Proposals addressed to the Minister of Public Works will be received up to the 22d day of JULY next.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
18th June, 1874.

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Victoria, 31st July, 1874.

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Parties.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date.	No. of each description.	Name of
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ON the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and under and in pursuance of the provisions of the fourth Section of the Act 36 Vic., chap. 55, entitled "An Act respecting Wreck and Salvage"—

His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to constitute and establish the Province of British Columbia a District for all the purposes of the said Act, and the said District is hereby constituted and established accordingly.

His Excellency, under the authority aforesaid, has been further pleased to appoint James Cooper, Esquire, Agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Victoria, Receiver of Wrecks in and for the said District of British Columbia.

W. A. HIMSWORTH,
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JAMES COOPER,
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Dept. of Marine and Fisheries,
Victoria, B.C., May 16, 1874.

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Notice to Mariners.

No. 6 of 1874.

REVOLVING LIGHT, Cape Beale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Cape Beale, at the South-East point of the entrance to Barclay Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia.

Lat. 48 deg. 47 min. 48 sec. N.
Long. 125 deg. 12 min. 52 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the Catoptric principle elevated 164 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st July next. The light will show at intervals of 30 seconds, making a complete revolution in two minutes, and should be seen in clear weather a distance of 19 miles.

The Tower is a square building, painted light stone color, elevated 35 feet from summit to centre of light, with detatched oblong dwelling house, painted same color. The light will be visible from an Easterly bearing, parallel with the coast round to W. by N. ¾ N. Caution is hereby given that the light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of E. ¾ N., as foul ground extends off the entrances to Barclay Sound.

All bearings are Magnetic. The Light is for the purpose of a coast light, and to indicate the entrance to Barclay Sound.

Mariners, however, should not attempt to enter the Sound at night without local knowledge or a Pilot.

WM. SMITH.
Deputy of Minister of Marine & Fisheries.

Department of Marine & Fisheries,
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